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Hon. Sarah L Cave  
United States Magistrate Judge  
United States District Court for the  
Southern District of New York  
Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007-1312

Plaintiff's request at ECF No. 11 is GRANTED, and the proposed briefing schedule set forth therein is ADOPTED.

The Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to close ECF No. 11.

SO ORDERED. 9/8/2023

  
SARAH L. CAVE  
United States Magistrate Judge

Re: Kringas V. Commissioner of Social Security  
Docket No: 1:23-cv-04949-SLC

Hon. Judge Cave:

This letter respectfully requests an extension of time of sixty-one (61) days for Plaintiff to file Plaintiff's Brief in this matter, to November 13, 2023. Plaintiff's Brief is currently due on September 13, 2023; however, Plaintiff cannot complete the Brief on time.

Counsel requests this extension due to multiple, simultaneous filing deadlines. Counsel requires additional time to properly and thoroughly prepare Plaintiff's brief. For instance, between September 8, and November 8, 2023, staff in Counsel's office have two hundred and fifteen (215) Plaintiff briefs due. This figure does not include Oral Arguments, appeals to Circuit Courts, Reply Briefs, settlement negotiations, and the various other tasks which arise throughout the course of litigation. These circumstances do not allow for Plaintiff's Counsel to properly prepare the brief by the current deadline. This request will not cause Defendant any undue hardship. This extension is needed to thoroughly and properly prepare the brief.

Plaintiff's counsel has contacted defense counsel who kindly consents to this request. This request will not cause Defendant any undue hardship. The parties have agreed on the below briefing schedule. This would be a first request for an extension of time in this matter, and the parties do not anticipate any further extension of time in this matter, barring extraordinary circumstances.

If Plaintiff's request is granted, the new briefing schedule would be:

- **Plaintiff's Brief is due on or before November 13, 2023;**
- **Defendant's Brief is due on or before January 12, 2024; and**
- **Plaintiff's Reply Brief, if any, is due on or before February 2, 2024.**

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